Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Monday 16 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 17 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Sunday 15 Aug 2021 at 15:35

Confidence: High for cooler northwesterly winds and often cloudy conditions over the next few days, but lower for the details of any more organised spells of rain

Headline for Monday 16 Aug 2021: Bright or sunny spells and a scattering of showers. Feeling chilly on the summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 16 Aug 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain showers (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
30%	20%	30%	30%	30%	20%	10%	10%

Forecast for Monday 16 Aug 2021

Weather: Variable cloud and a few light showers during the early hours. There'll be some sunny spells at first on Monday morning along with isolated light showers, these continuing into the afternoon before fading away with the cloud breaking to leave some late sunshine. Clouding over from the northwest late evening onwards with the odd spot of drizzle likely by midnight.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 70% rising to 95% or better in the afternoon, then deteriorating to 60% late evening onwards.

Visibility: Generally good, however any showers will make views of nearby hills appear misty, with cloud lowering in showers to cover slopes above 700-800m and bringing locally very poor visibility to the highest routes. Cloud will lift clear of the summits in the afternoon, but areas of lower cloud arrive from the northwest late evening onwards, shrouding some slopes above 700m by midnight.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	15/21 NW	17/24 NW	19/26 NW	19/26 NW	17/25 NW	16/24 NW	15/22 NW	12/17 W	14/20 W
300	5/14 W	8/19 NW	10/22 NW	11/22 NW	11/22 NW	11/21 NW	10/19 NW	6/14 W	7/16 W
Valley	5/14 W	7/18 W	9/20 NW	10/21 NW	11/21 NW	11/21 NW	9/19 NW	6/14 W	7/15 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/7	9/6	9/5	10/7	11/8	11/8	11/8	10/8	10/7
300	12/11	12/10	12/9	13/11	14/12	14/12	14/12	12/11	12/11
Valley	12/12	12/11	12/10	14/12	15/13	16/14	15/13	13/12	13/12
Freezing Level*	3200m	2500m	2300m	2200m	2500m	3200m	3500m	3500m	3500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Brisk northwesterly winds combined with scatted showers will make it feel chilly on the summits, so consider packing extra layers and waterproofs.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Sun 15 Aug 2021	1.2mm	4.8mm	5.4mm

Forecast for Tuesday 17 Aug 2021

Weather: Rather cloudy throughout the day with the odd spot of drizzle at times, and with the best of any cloud breaks in the more sheltered east ad southeastern side of the Beacons.

Maximum wind: West to northwesterly 20-25mph gust 30- 35mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 70% in the east and southeast with occasional cloud breaks, but generally only 40% in the west and northwest.

Visibility: Generally moderate to good beneath cloud in the valleys and in sheltered east and southeastern areas where the cloud will break at times, but more extensive cloud will cover many slopes above 600-700m in the west throughout the day.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 Celsius rising to plus 17 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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